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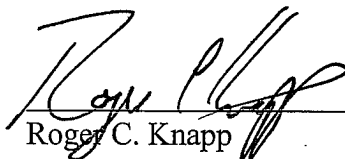
ELECTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed on March 26, 2007, Applicants hereby elect Species I: Claims 16-23, which includes generic claims 24-28, for further prosecution in the above patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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